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In re application of : BILL J. COE
Serial No. : 09/879,419
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For : **SOFT LINK FOR CONNECTING
A GROUP OF PARACHUTE
SUSPENSION LINES TO
HARNES VIA RISERS**
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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the Office Action dated December 14, 2001,
please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the Specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning on Page 1, line 4:

A1 This application is a divisional of application Serial No.
09/492,554 filed on January 27, 2000, now U.S. Patent No.
6,270,128.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

A2 Cont. Sub B1
1. (Amended) A soft link for connecting a first member to a
second member, said soft link comprising: